

SENATE RESOLUTION 162

By Jackson

A RESOLUTION to commend Diane Yvonne Wampler for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Diane Wampler is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Doug Jackson; Diane's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of East Tennessee State University, where she was highly regarded by her peers, Ms. Wampler has achieved academic success, graduating magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Political Science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, the first college graduate of her family, Diane Wampler rendered sterling service as a member of Pi Sigma Alpha, the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature, and the Alpha Xi Delta sorority, for which she led many service events and mentored two little sisters, Nikki Hudson Ford and Emily Pierce; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Ms. Wampler brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2007 session of the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2007 legislative session, Ms. Wampler, an inveterate hockey fan, has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Diane's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her mother, Debbie Simpson Wampler; her grandparents, Lawrence and Doris Simpson; and her great-grandmother, Myrtle Smart; and

WHEREAS, she has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Diane Wampler for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Doug Jackson and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.